

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES

[0019] Exemplifying and non-limiting embodiments of the invention and their advantages are explained in greater detail below in the sense of examples and with reference to the accompanying drawings, in which:

[0020] FIGS. 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, and 1e illustrate a cable clamp according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention,

[0021] FIG. 2 illustrates a cable clamp according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention,

[0022] FIGS. 3a and 3b illustrate a cable clamp according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention,

[0023] FIGS. 4a and 4b illustrate a cable clamp according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention,

[0024] FIGS. 5a, 5b, and 5c illustrate a cable clamp according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention, and

[0025] FIG. 6 illustrates an electrical device according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention.

DESCRIPTION OF EXEMPLIFYING AND NON-LIMITING EMBODIMENTS

[0026] FIG. 1a shows a perspective view of a cable clamp 101 according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention. FIG. 1b shows a front view of the cable clamp, and FIG. 1c shows a side view of the cable clamp. FIGS. 1d and 1e show section views that illustrate installation of the cable clamp 101 into a through hole of a wall 118. The section is taken along a line A-A shown in FIG. 1b and the section plane is parallel with the yz-plane of a coordinate system 199. The cable clamp comprises a first element 102, a second element 103, and retainer devices 104 and 105 for keeping the first and second elements with respect to each other so that the first and second elements are in a first mutual position. In the exemplifying case illustrated in FIGS. 1a-1e, the retainer devices 104 and 105 are screws. A situation where the first and the second elements 102 and 103 are in the above-mentioned first mutual position with respect to each other is illustrated in FIGS. 1a-1c, and 1e. As illustrated in FIG. 1e, the first and second elements 102 and 103 are capable of being locked to the edges of the through hole of the wall 118 with the aid of first claws 106 and 107 extending over the edges of the through hole on a first side of the wall and with the aid of second claws 108 and 109 extending over the edges of the through hole on the second side of the wall. As illustrated in FIG. 1d, the first and second elements 102 and 103 can be inserted into the through hole of the wall 118 when the first and second elements 102 and 103 are in a second mutual position where the first and second elements are tilted with respect to each other so that the first claws 106 and 107 are nearer to each other than in the first mutual position shown in FIG. 1e. As illustrated in FIG. 1e, the first and second elements 102 and 103 are capable of clamping a cable when being in the first mutual position. In FIGS. 1d and 1e, the outer surface of the cable is depicted with dashed lines 119 and 120.

[0027] In the exemplifying case illustrated in FIGS. 1a-1e, the first and second elements 102 and 103 of the cable clamp 101 are separate pieces of material. FIG. 2 shows cable

clamp 201 according to another exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention. The cable clamp 201 comprises a bendable isthmus 212 between first and second elements 202 and 203 of the cable clamp. The bendable isthmus allows the first and second elements to be turned with respect to each other between mutual positions such as illustrated in FIGS. 1d and 1e.

[0028] FIG. 3a shows a side view of a cable clamp 301 according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention. FIG. 3b shows a view of a section taken along a line A-A shown in FIG. 3a. The section plane is parallel with the xy-plane of a coordinate system 399. The cable clamp 301 comprises a first element 302, a second element 303, and retainer devices 304 and 305. In the exemplifying cable clamp 301 illustrated in FIGS. 3a and 3b, the first element 302 comprises a clamping part 310 that is a separate piece with respect to a body of the first element 302. The retainer devices 304 and 305 are arranged to press the clamping part 310 towards the second element 303 so as to press a cable between the clamping part 310 and the second element 303 as illustrated in FIG. 3b. The outer surface of the cable being clamped is depicted with a dashed line circle 319 in FIG. 3b. In the exemplifying case illustrated in FIGS. 3a and 3b, the retainer devices 304 and 305 are screws arranged to fit with threaded holes of the second element 303.

[0029] FIG. 4a shows a side view of a cable clamp 401 according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention. FIG. 4b shows a view of a section taken along a line A-A shown in FIG. 4a. The section plane is parallel with the xy-plane of a coordinate system 499. The cable clamp 401 comprises a first element 402, a second element 403, and retainer devices 404 and 405. In the exemplifying cable clamp 401 illustrated in FIGS. 4a and 4b, the first element 402 comprises a first clamping part 410 that is a separate piece with respect to a body of the first element 402 and the second element 403 comprises a second clamping part 411 that is a separate piece with respect to a body of the second element 403. The retainer devices 404 and 405 are arranged to press the first and second clamping parts 410 and 411 towards each other so as to press a cable between the first and second clamping parts 410 and 411 as illustrated in FIG. 4b. The outer surface of the cable being clamped is depicted with a dashed line circle in FIG. 4b. In the exemplifying case illustrated in FIGS. 4a and 4b, the retainer devices 404 and 405 are screws arranged to fit with threaded holes of the second clamping part 411.

[0030] FIG. 5a shows a side view of a cable clamp 501 according to an exemplifying and non-limiting embodiment of the invention. FIG. 5b shows a view of the cable clamp 501 seen along an arrow B shown in FIG. 5a. FIG. 5c shows a view of a section taken along a line A-A shown in FIG. 5b. The section plane is parallel with the yz-plane of a coordinate system 599. The cable clamp 501 comprises a first element 502, a second element 503, and a retainer device 504 for keeping the first and second elements together as illustrated in FIGS. 5a-5c. In this exemplifying case, the retainer device 504 is a clip spring arranged to keep the first and second elements 502 and 503 in the mutual position illustrated in FIGS. 5a-5c. The clip spring 504 can be made of a sheet of suitable spring material such as for example steel. It is also possible that there is two or more clip springs for keeping the first and second elements 502 and 503 in the